

REMARKS

The Examiner has required Applicant to elect one of the following Species:

Species I. Figs. 1 and 2;

Species II. Figs. 3 and 4;

Species III. Fig. 5A;

Species IV. Fig. 5B;

Species V. Fig. 5C; or

Species VI. Figs. 6 and 7


Applicant hereby elects Species I, depicted in Figures 1 and 2, and believes that claims 1, 2, 6-8, 11, 12, 16-18, 21 and 29 are readable thereon. Applicant reserves the right to submit any Divisional patent applications directed toward the non-elected Species.

An early action on the merits of this application is respectfully requested. Should any points remain in issue, which the Examiner feels could best be resolved by either a personal or a telephone interview, it is urged that Applicant's local attorney be contacted at the exchange listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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